

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND AEROSPACE INDUSTRY

Prince Edward Island is home to a vibrant and expanding aerospace industry. Currently, in the aerospace industry as a whole, the number of employees is nearing 600.



- ◀ Government and economic developers with a vision developed a tax rebate structure for Slemon Park along with a defined focus on aerospace investment recruitment and ten years later, this sector now represents 20 per cent of total provincial exports. These efforts have transformed the former Canadian Forces Base at Slemon Park in Summerside, Prince Edward Island into a premier business centre that today provides world-class hangars, manufacturing facilities, airport and other amenities and services.

Some of the best-known names in aerospace today have chosen to establish business in Prince Edward Island. Honeywell, CAE, Atlantic Turbines International, Wiebel Aerospace, Testori Americas Corp. Helipro and MDS-PRAD Technologies all call PEI home.

The aerospace industry is the Prince Edward Island's second largest exporter producing a broad range of products and services. While most of the work is oriented toward the regional aircraft market, Prince Edward Island-based companies are also involved in other related sectors such as helicopters, space and defence, mass-transit, medical equipment and high-performance industrial engine industries.

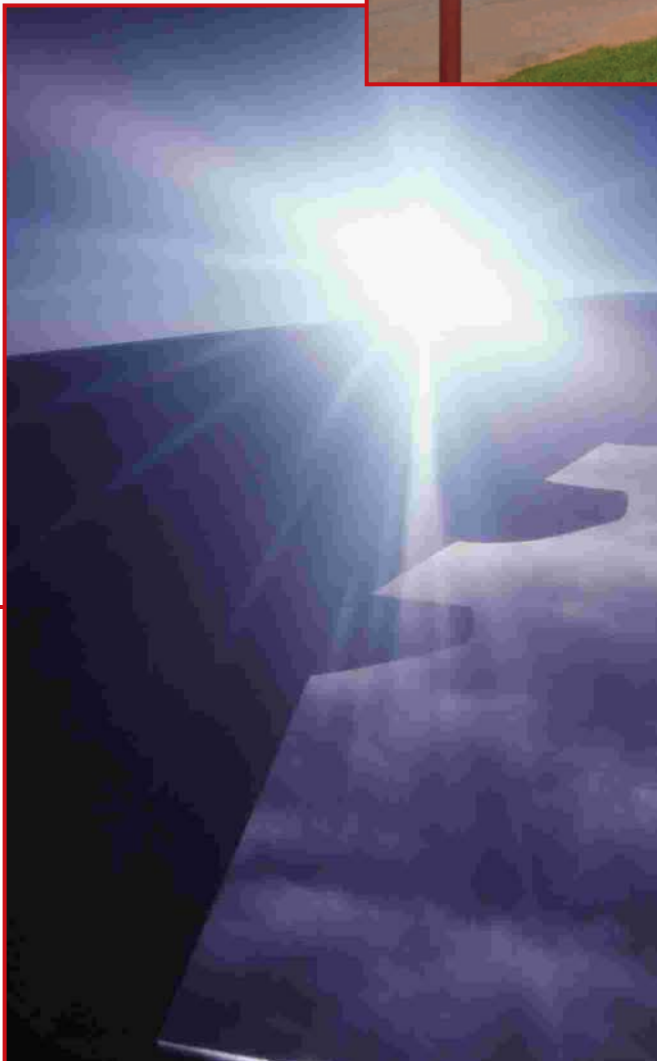
Prince Edward Island, one of Canada's most beautiful provinces with an attractive style of living and quick and easy access to North American and European markets, offers unique and generous tax rebates for companies engaged in aerospace and aviation-related businesses.

Our educational institutions have developed state-of-the-art training programs and facilities that give companies immediate access to well-trained, employees and provide students the opportunity to combine classroom instruction with hands-on training in the industry.

The value of exports in aerospace from Prince Edward Island has grown dramatically to be the province's fourth largest industry. It's evident the aerospace industry has suffered some difficult times in the most recent past, however, the aerospace business on PEI is strong and growing.

Prince Edward Island is pleased to offer a lifestyle that is one of the best places in the world to live, work and do business.

We encourage you to come and see for yourself the many advantages of Prince Edward Island.



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